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Columbia City Gallery Presents Summer Exhibits *You Are Here* and *Pojagi* Now

Members Artists Explore Geography, Guest Artists Debut the Art of Korean Wrapping Cloth

Seattle, WA – Columbia City Gallery is pleased to announce its summer exhibits. In the Main Gallery, member artists present *You Are Here*, which features new work by painters Sally Drew and Cathy Fields and photographer Inye Wokoma. In their work, they explore maps, personal and conceptual geography.



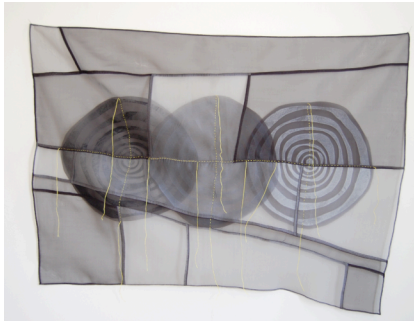
From my Window by Sally Drew

In the Guest Gallery, guest artists and curator Patti King present *Pojagi Now: Contemporary interpretations of the Korean Wrapping Cloth*, which features the work of local and international artists (including artists from Korea and Iceland): Edie Beatty, Margaret Boyle, Leonie Castelino, Elizabeth Chong, Gerdur Gudmundsdottir, Carys Hamer, Donghee Hong, Misik Kim, Patti King, Aaron McIntosh, Emma Paladino, and Cynthia Treen. The exhibit represents the wide scope of interpretation which this influential Korean tradition has inspired.

When: Exhibits *You Are Here* and *Pojagi Now*: August 4 – September 19, 2010
Artists' Reception for both exhibits: Saturday, August 7, 5 p – 8p

Where: Columbia City Gallery, [4864 Rainier Avenue South, Seattle, WA 98118](#)

Why Pojagi? The art of Pojagi reflects a long history of female resourcefulness, resilience and innovation. A Western comparison can be drawn between the American quilt and Pojagi. Both art forms are derived from the culture of frugality, both were made by anonymous women who were untrained in the arts, both required much time, skill and dedication. The intricate and unique interpretations of this art form are as wide and deep as the female imagination. It is with this reverent perspective that Columbia City Gallery presents *Pojagi Now: Contemporary interpretations of the Korean Wrapping Cloth*. For more information about the traditional Korean art form, please go to www.koreanculture.org.



Silk Pojagi by Aaron McIntosh

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About Columbia City Gallery:

Since 1999, Columbia City Gallery has provided crucial exhibition and community arts space as the only nonprofit artists' cooperative in Southeast Seattle. The gallery has been showcasing the work of its Seattle member artists as well as a diverse selection of local guest artists. The Columbia City Gallery is a program of SEEDArts and receives generous funding from the City of Seattle Department of Neighborhoods. Gallery hours are Wednesday through Friday, 12p to 8p, Saturdays and Sundays, 10a to 6p. For a complete schedule, visit www.ColumbiaCityGallery.com.

More About the Artists:

Please visit Columbia City Gallery's [artist web site](#) for information about member artists featured in ***You Are Here***.